## LOSE CONFIDENCE IN THE PRIMARY

The Exposures in Richmond Are Taken Deep to Heart.

THE SOUTHSIDE IS CLOSE

Montague Likely to Carry Mecklenburg, But the Race Will Be Exciting.

(Special From a Staff Correspondent.) MECKLENBURG HOTEL, CHASK CITY, VA., August 3.—With the State primary less than twenty days off the situation concerning the two rein offices in controversy, namely, those of United States senator and Governor, to chaotic to a degree in Southside Virginla, where the speaking end of the campaign is now practically over, and where all depends upon what the voters are going to do about it when the real test come on August 22d.

candidates, for the most part. having been in this section, are now on their whirlwind finish in other parts of the State, and must of necessity rely upon the activity and loyalty of their respective friends for whatever showing they may make down this way in the end. And frankness, coupled with a fairly intelligent insight into the situation, imintelligent insight into the situation, impels the statement that they all have good, strong, loyal friends, and that the wind-up will be close and warm. There is one feature which has impressed me with great force during my stay here, where I have met a large number of Democrats of more or less information and prominence, and that is the apparatulate the of confidence among the rank

Democrats of more or less information and prominence, and that is the apparent lack of confidenct among the rank and file in the result of the primary shortly to take place.

Some of these men, indeen many of them, with whom I have tilked, are well known local Democratic leaders of this and surrounding counties, while others are simply voters, who make no pretensions toward political activity, but with amazing unanimity, and without reference to their choice for senator or Governor, they have laid stress on this subject and pointed out as their reasons, not only the established and possible further fraud in the recent Richmond city primary, but the expressed determination of the organization in many sections to refuse this or that candidate representatives among the election of ficers to conduct the August primary.

Won't Feel Satisfied. Won't Feel Satisfied.

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Most of their figure it out that however a given county or city may go, where application has been made, followed by a refusal, and where the organization is known to favor one candidate or another, the plain people who have no part in elections than to vote, will never feel satisfied that things were straight and right in the polls.

I have heard some ask if this was a move to break down the primary system by Virginia, by making it unpopular in

move to break down the primary system in Virginia, by making it unpopular in advance of the first trial, but the question is not easily answered. One thing may be said, however, that whatever may be the object, the rank and file of the Democrats down this way are coming to Expect a Sensation.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., August 3.—

Attorney William L. Royall, of Richmond, voiers in the State can be plainly seen. It is admitted that they favored the new system, while it is contended that many leaders did not. If there shall be even a suspicion which is at all widespread that there were any unfair dealings, the opposition to the system will be shifted from those leaders who are said that there were any opposed to it is contended to speak here Saturday alght, and the Montague forces are arriving for a big mass meeting. According to reports from Richmond, "something sensational" is expected.

Young Men Attendation. been opposed to it in the first instance, and it will find its opponents among its extwhile strongest advocates.

## Two Fierce Contests.

But much of this is by the way, and is only said to give the people the impressions I have gained from talks with party men in this section of the State, based mainly on what is now going on in Richmond, and the refusal of several of the least countries to either the section of the state. of the local committees to adhere to the requests of candidates for representation among the election officers to be in trol of the great fight on August 22.

Now to my story: Out of a natural interest, as a newspaper man, in this most exciting and im-portant contest, I have taken the pains to make diligent inquiry as to the probable standing of the candidates for Sen-ator and Governor, in Mecklenburg, Brunswick, Charlotte and Halifax, and find that taking them together, the situ-ation is much mixed as to both places.

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Both the senutorial candidates have visited all these counties. The Governor was at Mccklenburg Court early in the campaign. Senator Martin started there at the next term, which was two months later, but smallpox provented either him or the voters from attending. The Governor's reception at Boydton, the county seat, was a splendid one. The only other point in the county he has visited during the campaign is Chase City, when he came to the Mccklenburg Hotel, after his illness some months ago, to recuperate his health. Here he and Mrs. Montague were given a royal reception, though it was entirely non-political.

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The only points in the county visited by Senator Martin are South Hill and La Crosse. He was well received at both places. There are four thriving towns in Meckienburg. These are Consectly. Chrissville, Moyaton and South Hill. My information is that they will all be close, but that chances now favor the Governor at Chase City and Clarksville, and Senator Martin at the other two places.

This puts it "up to" the people out in the country districts to decide how Meckienburg county will go, and I am told by those who ought to know that in the outlying sections the Democratic wores, as a rule, are for Montague. This county supported the Governor and friend of the Governor, though he is not making hinself very prominent in the fight, owing to his party condition.

Capitan Thomas B. Jeffress, lawyer and County Chairman Thomas N. Williams, of Christophen and martin, but he tells me he has an abiding rich and conditing to injure his sevent marting of his ballot.

Capitan Thomas B. Jeffress, lawyer and for the casting of his hallot.

Capitan Jefress introduced the Governor on the occasion of his non-political reception here recently and declared in the course of his remarks that from first to last Virginia had never had achief Executive who yad filled that great office with more ability and dignity, and that unless he mistook the sign of the times, the old Commonwealth had further and more distinguished honors yet in store for him.

Beth Martin and Montague have been leaders of all regular trains him.

to Brunswick, and the lattle there hot and close.

Three Other Counties.

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The influential leaders in that county are sharply divided. For example, the Turnbulls are backing Senator Martin, while arrayed against them are the Curtofords, who are leading for the Governor. Both sides are claiming the county, and only the casting of the ballots will tell the tale.

Charlotte is stoutly claimed for the Governor by from 250 to 400 majority, while it is practically conceded to him by numbers of prominent Martin people. One of her former county officers admitted to me the other day that the Governor would get a majority, but he Governor would get a majority, but he Governor would get a majority, but he add not say how much.

I have heard this forecast of the situation from many others, including several commercial men stopping here, and who do a great deal of business up there.

A warm struggle is in prospect in Hal-ifax, and the result appears in much

doubt.
Houston, the county seat, where most of the lawyers and public officers reside, will likely go for the senator, while the town, now almost a city, of South Bostion, is admittedly a Montague strong-loid. The county is a large one, and what those who come out from the woody della fad plains and valleys of the rural sections will do will turn the scale, bus neither of the distinguished leaders, according to forecasts I have gathered, will have any considerable majority when the votes are counted.

Close for Governor.

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The battle for Governor will be close in Macklenburg between Swanson and Mann, but Captain Willard has a great many strong friends here and elsewhere in the county. Brunswick will probably go for Swanson by a small plurality, and Mann and Willard will have to fight for second place, with chances favoring the latter.

Charlotte is probably a Mann county, as I am informed by well-posted men, though both the other candidates will run close to him if he shall win out.

In Hallfax Swanson is manifestly in the lead, with both his compelitors as strong factors in the fight.

Thus it will be seen that the situation as to both offices in the four counties with which I have dealt is close and interesting, and it does not look as if any candidate for either place will leave them with much of a lead.

C. A. BOYCE.

#### ROANOKE DISTRICT

Conference in Session at Christiansburg-Armstrong Presides.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHRISTIANSBURG, VA., August 3.—
The Roanoke District Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, met in its fortleth session in the Methodist Church here yesterday. Rev. J. E. Armstrong presided and conducted devotional exercises. The Rev. J. H. Haley was elected secretary. Rev. S. M. Janney, in behalf of the church, warmly welcomed the conference, which was eloquently responded to by Rev. H. M. Canter on behalf of the conference.

There are about sixty-five members in attendance and all the sessions have been (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

There are about sixty-five members in attendance and all the sessions have been full of interest. Among the lay members are Judge P. V. Jones, of New Castle, and Judge A. E. King, of Roanoke.

The reports of the committee covered every branch of church work, and many recommendations were made and adopted looking to more aggressive and systematic efforts for furthering the interests of the church.

unanimously passed in respect to Dr Armstrong, the presiding elder, who re sponded in a most eloquent and touching nanner. Dr. Armstrong has been in the ministry for fifty-three years.

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The business sessions have been about concluded, but to-morrow will be devoted to missions, the services to be conducted by the Rev. Harry Burroughs. Grace Church, at Roanoke, was selected as the place for the next meeting of the conference.

Christ Church will meet in the recurrence of the church Sunday morning to attend divine services in a body. The rector, Rev. G. Olis Mead, is preaching a series of sermions on the Ten Commandments at the request of the Young Men's Brotherbood, and it is in appreciation of this that the men will attend in a body.

## CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION, HALF RATES, VIA N. & W. RY.
On account of the above occasion the
Norfolk and Western Railway will sell on
August 6th, 7th and 8th round trip tlekets from all points on its line within the
State of Virginia at rate of one straight
fare, plus twenty-five cents, for the round
trip, good returning until August 11,
1905. Round trip rate from Richmond,
\$5.55. For tlokets and full information,
npply to J. F. Knowles, elty passenger
agent, 838 East Main Street; the Richmond Trunsfer Company, or W. Steele,
tleket agent, Byrd Street Station.
C. H. BOSLIEY,
District Passenger Agent. HALF RATES, VIA N. & W. RY.

Bears the The Kind You Have Always Bought thig nature Chartest Plateture.

# IN MECKLENBURG

Senator Expected to Speak in This City on 17th, 18th and 10th.

WEEK IN THE SOUTHWEST

No Dates Announced Yet for Richmond, But Three May Be So Used.

Senator Thomas S. Martin will clos his campaign for the senatorial nomination with two speeches in Mecklenburg county on August 21st. It is expected that he will make two 'or three speeches in this city on open dates, but this is not announced.

His appointments following the Rocky Mount meeting for a week are like the Governor's, chiefly in the southwest, where each will be camping on the other trail. Senator Martin's dates are as fol owe:

August 8th, night, at Graham, Tazewell August 8th, night, at Graham, Tezewell county; August 9th, Bristol City, night; August 10th. Gate City, Scott county; August 10th. night, Big Stone Gap, Wise county; August 12th, Grayson Courthouse, Independence; August 14th, 'Woodstock, Shenandoah county; August 15th, Shenandoah county, place not announced; August 16th, Wytheville.

August 21st, day before the primary, at Boydton, Mecklenburg county, and that night at Chase City, in the same county, closing the long campaign there.

Senator Martin's dates for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 17th, 18th and 19th, are not announced, though they have probably been scheduled or are in course

19th, are not announced, though they have probably been scheduled or are in course of arrangement. It is expected that these three days will be spent in this city and suburbs, though no admission of this is given. Friends of the Senator stated some time ago that he would make two or three speeches in this city before the primary date. These three dates are about his only opportunity. One of the speeches will, it is believed, be at Jefferson Park, a great open air meeting, and another is likely to be in Fulton. The third, if there be another here, will probably be up town. ably be up town.

actively working. Close and compact organization is had in every ward and precinct of the city.

### RIGHT OF WAY.

Rocky Mount Barbecue Not Under Auspices of Organization.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,-Since the appearance of Mrs.
Smith's letter in your columns, which slie originally addressed to me. I would begrespectfully that you prist my letter to her in reply, a copy of which is herewith enclosed. nclosed. Thanking you in advance for th

her in reply, a copy of which is herewith enclosed.
Thanking you in advance for the courtesy.
Very respectfully yours.
L. W. ANDERSON.
Chairman Franklin County Democratic Committee.
Rocky Mount, Va., Aug. 3, 1905.
Mrs. Cabel Smith, President Jubal A.
Early Chapter, U. D. C.
My Dear Madam,—in reply to your letter of the 3ist ultimo, would say that the barbecue to be given on the 7th Instant is consequently. I as chairman of the Democratic County Committee, have nothing whatever to do with it. It is gottonly, consequently, I as chairman of the Democratic County Committee, have nothing whatever to do with it. It is gotton up, I undersand, by Senator Martin's friends; and the public, including, of course, ex-Confederate solders and everybody else, is cordially invited to attend. I had absolutely nothing to do with the changing of the date for the soldiers' annual reunion. I supposed that the principal reason for changing it was that those interested thought it would be hard to get a crowd together at the same place two days in succession. When Senator Martin made his appointment to speak here on August 7th, 1862. I don't suppose he contemplated, or desired, a joint discussion with his opponent, Governor Montague, and the fact that the soldiers will have a supposed to the same place two discussions of the suppose he contemplated in the same platform, it would be contemplated, or desired, a joint discussion will not cause him to denge his suppose he contemplated in the same platform, it would be contemplated in the same platform, it would be contemplated in the same platform, it would be contemplated to be contemplated or desired a joint discussion, and it is certainly no discourtesy on the part of Senator Martin or his friends not of invite Governor Montague to speak from the platform erected for Senator Martin.

The circumstances are different in respect to Senator Daniel and the other.

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#### INCREASE NEAR MILLION. Chesapeake and Ohio Makes a

Fine Showing for Year.

The net earnings of the Chesapeake and Ohio Rallroad for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1995, approximated seven and a half millions of dollars, an increase in net over the previous year of nearly on million dollars. Expenses increased less than half a million. The precise figures,

than half a million. The precise figures, as sent out by Comptroller L. F. Sullivan, are as follows:
Gross earnings for the year, \$20,724,-370,78, an increase of \$1,426,485,99; expenses for the year were \$13,250,966.13, an increase of \$467,776.17; net earnings for the year, \$7,473,404.65, an increase of \$559,080.82.

\$195,705.62.

Gross earnings for June, 1905, were \$1,846,555.37, an increase of \$108,838.77 over June, 1051; expenses were \$1,133,-458.65, an increase of but \$3,081,28; net earnings were \$713,095.72, an increase of \$105,757.49 for the month. earnings for June, 1905,

### CONTROL THE CONCERTS. Colonel Cutshaw Has Authority

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City Engineer Cutshaw's action in selecting the places for the band concerts in the past was sustained by the members of the Grounds and Buildings Committee at a meeting last night, and a resolution was adopted giving the City Engineer full authority to handle the band concerts in the future.

Citizens had protested against the way the band concerts were distributed, and Colonel Cutshaw appeared before the committee and asked that he be vested with the necessary authority to order the concerts at any one place, or that the matter be placed in the hands of some one who would attend to it and relieve him of the responsibility. The committee was fully satisfied that Col. Cutshaw had acted in the best interest of all and that he had acted upon the advice of members of the committee.

Mr. Emmett Perdue was elected sub-

stitute janitor to fill the place of Mr. John Gianotti, who was elected janitor, vice the late A. J. Roper. Mr. Roper died suddenly two weeks ago.

## BUYING PROPERTY.

Real Estate Quite Active-Build-

ing Going On.

Mr. Sidney F. Clay, who for years has conducted a sales stable at 1917 East Franklin Street, has purchased the large warehouse at the corner of nineteenth street, together with the large lot. The price paid was \$29,000.

Work was begun yesterday on the foundation for the large warehouse and storage plant to be eracted by W. S. Forbes and Company, at Eleventh and Byrd Streets. The building is expected Byrd Streets. The building is expected to be completed by the first of November. Mr. F. Mansfield Boxley, of the A. J.

Chewning Company, will build five two story frame residences of modern design complete in all accessories, on West/Leigh Street, between Harrison and Hancoca-Btreets. The houses will cost about \$2,-000 each, and will be provided with porcelain bath, range, latrobes and the best The contract will soon be le for the construction.

## Richmond, Lady Stunned.

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Mrs. Henry J. Rippon, No. 100 South
Belvidere Street, was stunned last Saturday night by a bolt of lightning. Sho
was at Cape Charles with her four children.—Ethel E., Hine, Grace and Nelland was at the time visiting her brotherin-law, Mr. D. B. Rippon, A violent storm
arose about nine o'clock, and as the lady
was retiring, a billoding flash of lightning
shook the house, stretching her prostrato
on the floor; where she lay unconscious
for five minutes. The stroke set the
house on fire, and the limates were nearly suffocated before the flames were
sundined and medical assistance summoned. The children were all severely
shocked, Mr. Henry J. Rippon, who is
well-known in Richmond, regards his
family's escape as miraculous.

PORTLAND, ORE., August 3 .- The

Telegram says:
E. H. Harriman will spend \$10,000,000 E. H. Harriman will spend \$10,000,000 in railroad building in Oregon, Washington and Idaho within the next year. With the official announcement of the fact that the Southern Pacific is preparing to build from Drain to Marshfield on Coos Bay, connecting the main line with the Coos Bay, Roseburg and Eastern Road, which extendes from Marshfield, twenty-eight miles to Myrtle Point, via Coquilia, and with a branch to Beaver Hill, it is stated Harriman will spend \$10,000,000 in construction, included in which will be the cost of the dual road between Riparia and Grandville, the cost of which is shouldered jointly by Hill and Harriman. ointly by Hill and Harrin

#### FOUND ON SAND BAR. Pittsylvania Farmer in Pitiful

Condition in North Carolina.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

KINSTON, N. C., August 3.—Mr. T. W.
Jones, well-to-do farmer of Fittsylvania county, Va., was found on a sand bar in the river, six miles above here, in a partially demented condition and brought here yesterday by Mr. Dub Aldridgo.

When found Mr. Jones's clothes were in tatters and his body, was in a fearful condition from exposure and mosquito bites. He was unable to tell who he was or how he came to be there, but from papers on his person it was learned that he was from near Danville, Va.

A telegram to the Danville authorities established the fact that he was the man who had been missing and for whom the police and papers of that place had been searching for more than a week. The last time Mr. Jones was heard from was in Norfolk, where he had gone on an excursion. It is supposed that his mind became unbalanced there, and returning he took the wrong train, arriving in Kinston and wandering in the woods until found.

His two sons arrived to-day and identill found.

His two sons arrived to-day and identified him. They left with him for Danville to-night.

## CARDWELL DECLARED NOMINEE FOR HOUSE

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ASHLAND, VA., .. ugust 3,-The Demo cratis Committee of Hanover County met here to-day and in pursuance of the plan adopted by the committee, the only per-son filing notice of candidacy from Han-over County and paying his assessment was Mr. W. D. Cardwell. He was accordingly declared the Democratic nom ince for the House of Delegates.

As the plan of organization adopted by the State Central Committee provides for a reorganization of the various County Democratic Committees every two years, by clocking not less than two representatives on the committee from each predict in the various counties, the Honover Committee adopted as its resolution at each predict, in the county of Hanover, numbering eight precincts, shall be entitled to two members instead of one, and the election of these committeemen will be made at the primary on August 22d.

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Notice is required of this candidacy to be filled on or before the 2d inst.

As the only two in each precinct filed the required notice, the following parties

were declared members:
Ashland Precinct, E. L. C. Scott and J.

Mr. Stonewall J. Doswell left here today for New York and Boston, for a va-

## If You Go to the Norfolk Fair STOP AT THE

PORTSMOUTH, VA.

It will cost you about one-half of Norfolk price and you will be in the best hotel in Virginia.

The Monroe is the most beautiful and best furnished hotel in the State, and the rooms are large and pleasant. It will cost you only two and a half cents to cross the ferry and see Old Man Spratiey.

# JOINS A CLUB

Becomes a Member of An Industrial Organization at Raleigh.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RALEIGH, N. C., August 3 .- Governor Glenn was last night elected an hon-Raleigh. The age limit of active members is forty-five and the membership is 125, despite the fact that the club is little more than a month old. A new building and loan association is being formed under the auspices of the club-A rather seculiar situation is on be-

tween the High Point furniture manufacturers, the Southern Railway and the Corporation Commission, in that the commission expressed the idea last evening that proposition of the Southern made yesterday to furnish ten furniture forty-foot cars that the furniture people needed and inaugurate a system whereby needed and inaugurate a system whereby the railroad authorities would keep in touch with the orders received by the furniture people, and supply the cars as needed, ought to be satisfactory. But there came last night telegrams and letters from the furniture people that this was not at all satisfactory, and de-manding that the commission proceed at once to force the Southern to comply in detail with the demands made by the furniture people.

#### FAULCONNER DEAD.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SPENCER, N. C., August 3.—John Faulconnor, aged skteen, who was yesterday by accident fatally shot by his roommate. Kenneth McCormick, of the same age, died early this morning at the Whitehead-Stokes Sanitarium, in Sallsbury, where the lad was carried for an operation yesterday afternoon. It was realized from the first that Faulconner's wound, made by a builet passing entirely through his body just below the heart, would prove fatal, and the operation disclosed the certainty of his death.

At a late hour last night a magistrate took an ante-moriem statement from the dying boy, in which he stated that he dinot want his slayer punished, that he believed the shooting was accidental, but that McCormick had snapped the pistol at him repeatedly, and that he had gotten behind a bed in the room, where the tragedy took place, for protection, and that upon coming out from his place of refuge, he had received the builet in his cheat though he believed it was fired though lessly.

McCormick, who was placed under arrest yeaterday afternoon, was given a hearing even last night and bound over

rest yesterday afternoon, was given a hearing bere last night and bound over to the next term of Rowan Superior Court under a bond of \$200, which was promptly given. He is charged with having shot another playmate, some months since, in fun, and who soon recovered.

covered.

Young Faulconner was an orphan boy, and came to Spencer from Richmond, where his parents formerly lived. Both e and McCormick were apprentice boys at the Southern shops at this place.

#### ELECTROCUTED.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTE, N. C., August 3.—Joseph
Bradshaw, of Concord, was electrocuted
here early this evening in an unusual
manner, Bradshaw was talking with a
number of friends on a street corner,
leaning life arm against the small iron
holsting apparatus used to raise and
lower are lights. When the lights were
turned on all over the city, the man
topple dover, sparks flashing from his
feet. He was instantly killed. He leaves
a wife and family at Concord.

## TIDEWATER WINS

The Corporation Commission vesterday Railway Company the right to cross a: a grade the tracks of the Norfolk &

a grade the tracks of the Norfolk & Western Railway in South Norfolk. The decision settles, for the time being at least, a question that has been bitterly fought out before the commission. The Norfolk & Western road asked that the Tidewater be made to cross its tracks by an overhead bridge. The Tidewater is controlled by the Gould-Vandrylit system which is seeking a deep water terminus in Virginia, for the Wabish system.

minus in virginia, for the wholes system.

In rendering the opinion the commission in in part says;

"After careful and thoughful consideration of all of the facts in this case, and having reference to the general character; of the country around Norfolk, to install or the country around Norfolk, to install or in the country around the consistence of the various erossings now in existence, and the relative dangers and inconveniences to the public likely to follow from the adoption of the one or the other method of creating, and all other facts reduced before the commission, the commission is of the opinion that, in this instance, a gredecrossing should be allowed.

From the topography of the ground, it is manifest that, the location selected by the idewater Tallway Company is price.

the idewater Tallway Company is practically the ony clace at or about which a crossing could reasonamly take place

## DEBTS OF \$75,000

Ashland Precinct, E. L. C. Scott and J. A. Mallory; Higgansons Precinct, J. J. Terry and Dr. Wm. Meredith; Rockville Precinct, Hugh D. Toler and W. C. Taylor, Hall's Shop, A. B. Hall and C. W. Talley; Blunt's Precinct, R. G. Oliver and G. G. Brown; Rural Point, A. W. Brock and R. W. Jenkins; Rural Point, Willoughby Newton, Jr. and Geo. E. Haw; Cold Harbor Precinct, F. S. Beals and C. D. Jenkins.

The judges of election appointed at Ashland were C. C. Bridges, W. B. Walton and Walter Sydnor,
In the appointment of judges of election in Hanover County, efforts were made to give the various candidates representation.

tinuing his investigation of loans in which Mr. Belcher was interested, and has asked a representative from each of three prominent trust companies to confer with prominent trust companies to confer with him to-day.

It was reported to-day that Mayor Bel-cher was on his way to California, where his brother. Peter C. Belcher, is in the real estate business in the Redlands dis-trict. Prosecutor Emley said to-day that Mayor Belcher's borrowings would amount to \$75.000.

## H. L. Williams.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, TENN., August 3.—Harvey L.
Williams, aged about thirty-eight, a son
of John T. Williams, a New York millionaire, who does an extensive parries
business in the South, died suddenly at
his home in the suburbs of Bristol tonight. His death was due to a hemorrhage of the lungs and was unexpected
to his family, as he had been at his
place of business during the day. He is
survived by his wife and two children.
The body will be shipped to New York
eity to-marrow.

ALL MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED



## MEN'S SUMMER CLOTHING PRICED FOR QUICK CLEARANCE.

In a few days the carpenters will begin remodeling the store. We must have more room in the clothing section before they begin their work, and in order to gain our point we've made the prices so low that you will be compelled to take advantage of the splendid bargains we are offering in Men's Seasonable

## Men's \$10 Outing Suits, \$4.98

In this lot there are seventy-five Suits to select from, about all sizes are in the assortment-Fancy Flannels, Homspuns, Tweeds, etc., Single and Double-Breasted Coats, Quarter and Half Lined Coats; Trousers are cut full and made with belt loops and turn up cuffs-inexpensive to buy, fashionable to wear on your vacation in the mountains or at the

## Men's Serge Suits Reduced.

Single and Double-Breasted Coats, quarter and

Men's \$10.00 and \$12.50 Serge Suits..\$6.98 Men's \$15.00 and \$16.50 Serge Suits..\$9.98

Men's \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$1.48 \$4.00 Straw Hats - -

Boys' Wash Sults at Less Than Half Price.

In Russian Blouse, Eton, Sailor and Buster Brown styles, ages 21-2 to 10:

Boys' \$2.00 and \$2.50 Wash Suits..... 98c Boys' \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Wash Suits. \$1.48

## COL. FITZHUGH DIES SUDDENLY ON TRAIN

ST. LOUIS, MO., August 3 .- The hody of Colonel L. H. Fitzhugh, a native of Richmond, Va., who died suddenly of Bright's disease Tuesday night on an Iron Mountain train, when en route with his son, L. H. Fitzhugh, Jr., from Dailns,

lron Mountain train, when the his son, L. H. Fitzhugh, E., from Dallas, Texas, to Dayton, Ohlo, was shipped this morning to Dallas for burial.

Colonel Fitzhugh, who was seventy-eight years of age, served as sergeant-at-arms of the Confederate Senate during the greater part of that body's existence. He also commanded part of the first forces organized in Richmond for that city's defonse. After the war he moved from Virginia to Texas, He became noted as Democratic doorkeeper of the House of Representatives at Washington thirty years ago, through the widely published statement that he was a "bigger man than old Grant." General Grant at that time was President.

During the last twenty-five years Colonic Fitzhugh had been prominently identified with the promotion of Texas rall-road and oil enterprises.

## OBITURAY.

Mrs. William H. Smith.

Mrs. William H. Smith, aged seventyeight years, died at her home in Easton, Md., on Sunday night. She was a
daughter of the late General Charles
Dimmock, of this city, and a sister of
Captain M. J. Dimmock, also of this
city. She was a prominent and highly
esteemed woman of her town.

Walter Cooper.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Aug 3.—
Mr. Walter Cooper, a promising young
man of Stafford county, and son of Mr. Amos Cooper, died yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Fielding Boutchyard, in that county, after a brief illness of typhoid fever. He is survived by his father and sister.

Garry W. Brown.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., August 3.—Garry WASHINGTON, D. C., August 3.—Garry W. Brown, for years wine steward at the Jefferson, Richmond, dled in this city last night aged sixty-five years, Death resulted from a kidney affection, from which the deceased had suffered

from which the deceased hat sufficient years.

Mr. Brown was a native of Baltimore. When the Jefferson burned several years ago, Mr. Brown came to this city, where he accepted the place of wine steward at the New Willard. He retained this position until within a short time of his doath. He was twice married, but leaves no children. His widow survives him.

Mrs. P. M. Colbert.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINSTON-SALEM. N. C. August 3.—
Mrs. P. M. Colbert, the young wife of
the General Secretary of the Young Men's
Christian Association, died here to-day
after an illness of a few weeks. Before
her marriage, just \$wo months ago, she
was Miss Clare Moore, of Springfield, was Miss Clare Mode,
Mass.
The remains left to-night for Springfield, accompanied by the husband and
field, accompanied by the husband will
two friends, where the interment will

take place. E. F. Irwin.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., Aug. 3.—Mr. Erastus F. Irwin, a well known resident of this city, died yesterday evening ans of age, many states of age, many the well of the special control of the collision. There are also three smallers—Mosses, D. M. Irwin and H. S. Irwin, of this city, and H. C. Irwin, chief of religion of Charlotte N. C. and three

sisters—Mrs. W. B. Jones and Mrs. S. E. Frances, of this city, and Mrs. T. E. Pearce, of Newport News. Mr. Irwin was a member of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, from which his funeral took place this afternoon.

An Infant Dead. (Special to The Times-Dispatch,) CHESTER, VA., August 3.—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Howe, of Centralia, died last night at the home of Mr. G. E. Ruffin, of this place, after a long sickness,

Rev. J. M. Stanford. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., August 3.—
Rev. J. M. Stanford, a popular and promising young divine and pastor of the
Baptist Church at Leaksyille and Spray,
died last night after a month's illness of
typhold fever.

Colonel Richard H. Cowan. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SALISBURY, N. C., Aug. 3.—Colonel Richard H. Cowan, aged seventy-seven one of Rowan county's oldest and most prominent citizens, died at his home, near Salisbury, last night. He had been ill for several months.

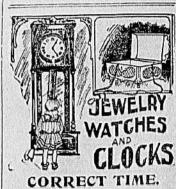
(By Associated Press.)
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Augus: 3.—
General James R. Garnahan, major goneral of uniform rank, Knights of Fythias, died to-day at his home in Woodruff Piace, after an illness of two weeks.
The funeral will be held Saturchy aftermoon at 2 o'clock, under the aussices of the order.

## DEATHS.

HAW.-Died. RICHARDSON W., infant son of R. W. and J. Edna Haw, at Chester, Va., Thursday, August 3, 1908, Burial in Oakwood FRIDAY, August 4, 1906, at 2:45 P. M.

JOHNSON.—Died, at the residence of her father, No. 702 St. James Street, August 2, 1965, at 6:25 P. M., EUDANIA LU-CILLE JOHNSON, only daughter of Charles and Emeline Johnson, Funeral from Second Baptist Church (colored) SUNDAY AFTISHNOON at 6 P. M.

Funeral Notice. MASON.—The funeral of MR. JOHN E. MASON will take place from the Leigh Street Baptist Church THIS EVENING at 4 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.



If you have one of our timepieces; they are guaranteed to keep correct time. We have a new and complete line, Call and see them.

... OPTICIAN... Glasses Fitted Correctly. J. S. JAMES.

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